

G. Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after the issuance of the instant notice by the Commission, file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Procedural Rules (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to Section 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefore, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OF THE UNITED STATES

[Public Notice 27]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Export-Import Bank of the United States.

ACTION: Submission for OMB review, comment request.

SUMMARY: In accordance with requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Export-Import Bank of the United States (Ex-Im Bank) has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and approve a revision of a currently approved collection described below. A request for public comments was published in 61 FR 6375, February 20, 1996. No comments were received.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public concerning the proposed collection of information to (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) minimize the burden of collection of information on those who are to respond; including through the use of

appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

DATES: Comments due date: May 30, 1996.

OMB Number: 3048-0009.

Title and Form Number: 9 forms submitted (respondents could complete any one of the nine forms):

- (1) Financing or Operating Lease Coverage, Explanation of Form for Export Credit Insurance, EIB-92-45.
- (2) Application for Multibuyer Export Credit Insurance Policy, EIB-92-50.
- (3) Application for Short-Term Single-Buyer Policy (For Exporters Only), EIB-92-64.

(4) Application for Export Credit Insurance Trade Association Policy, EIB-92-68.

(5) Application for Export Credit Insurance Umbrella Policy, EIB-92-72.

(6) Broker Registration Form, EIB-92-80.

(7) Application for Quotation-Export Credit Insurance Commercial Bank Insureds, EIB-92-34.

(8) Application for Short-Term Single-Buyer Coverage Financial Buyer Credit Policies, EIB-92-41.

(9) Application for Medium-Term Export Credit Insurance, EIB-92-48.

Type of Review: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Need and Use: The information requested enables the applicant exporter, bank, or insurance broker to provide Ex-Im Bank with information necessary to determine eligibility for various exporter credit insurance policies and programs.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit—Not-for-profit institutions—Farms—State, Local or Tribal Government.

Respondents: Entities involved in the export of U.S. goods and services, including exporters, banks, insurance brokers and non-profit or state and local government acting as facilitators.

Estimated Annual Respondents: 1,500.

Estimated Time per Respondent: 1 hour per form.

Estimated Annual Burden: 1,500 hours.

Frequency of Response: Applications submitted one time, renewals annually.

ADDRESSES: Copies of these submissions may be obtained from Debbie Ambrose, Export-Import Bank of the United States, 811 Vermont Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. (202) 565-3313.

Comments and recommendations concerning the submissions should be sent to OMB Desk Officer, Victoria Wassmer, Office of Management and

Budget, Information and Regulatory Affairs, New Executive Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20503, (202) 395-5871.

Dated: April 23, 1996.

Daniel Garcia,

Administrative Officer.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Notice of Agreement(s) Filed

The Federal Maritime Commission hereby gives notice of the filing of the following agreement(s) pursuant to section 5 of the Shipping Act of 1984.

Interested parties may inspect and obtain a copy of each agreement at the Washington, D.C. Office of the Federal Maritime Commission, 800 North Capitol Street, N.W., 9th Floor.

Interested parties may submit comments on each agreement to the Secretary, Federal Maritime Commission, D.C. 20573, within 10 days after the date of the Federal Register in which this notice appears. The requirements for comments are found in section 572.603 of Title 46 of the Code of Federal Regulations. Interested persons should consult this section before communicating with the Commission regarding a pending agreement.

Agreement No.: 203-011542.

Title: African Northbound Space Charter and Sailing Agreement.

Parties: Wilhelmsen Lines A/S, Safbank Line Limited, Lykes Bros. Steamship Co., Inc.

Synopsis: The proposed Agreement authorizes the parties to discuss and agree on whether to become or remain a member of or withdraw from any conferences or any other agreements covering the Trade or any part of it. In addition, it permits the parties to charter space to and from one another, consult and agree upon the deployment and utilization of vessels and rationalize sailings in the trade from ports and points in Southern Africa in the range from the northern border of Namibia to the northern border of Mozambique to U.S. Atlantic Coast ports and points.

Agreement No.: 203-011543.

Title: U.S.-Australia/New Zealand Policing Agreement.

Parties: Australia New Zealand Direct Line, Blue Star (North America) Limited, Hamburg-Sudamerikanische Dampfschiffahrts Gesellschaft Eggert & Amsinck (Columbus Line).

Synopsis: The proposed Agreement authorizes the parties to discuss, agree